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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CASC, PINS, LY

SUBJECT: HIJACKING OF LIBYAN ARAB AIRLINES FLIGHT

REF: TRIPOLI 0927 (NOTAL)

1. EMBASSY ADVISED THAT AFTER HIJACKER HAD SURRENDERED
TO SPAIN AUTHORITIES, PLANE WAS ENROUTE TO TRIPOLI,
ARRIVING ABOUT 6 PM LOCAL TIME.

2. TWO EMBASSY OFFICERS PROCEEDED TO AIRPORT, ONLY
TO BE ADVISED BY LIBYAN ARAB AIRLINES STATION MANAGER
THAT AFTER LEAVING SPAIN PLANE HAD FLOWN TO BENGHAZI
AND THEN CONTINUED ON TO ROME, FLIGHTS'S ORIGINAL
DESTINATION.

3. ALL PASSENGERS WERE REPORTED SAFE. ALLEGEDLY
THERE WERE SEVERAL AMERICANS ON BOARD BUT TRIPOLI
AIRPORT DID NOT HAVE AVAILABLE ANY SPECIFIC INFO
ON NAMES OR NATIONALITIES OF PASSENGERS.
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